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Club Newsletter 20th February 2025

Café

This Saturday as we have a good contingent going to Marlborough for the annual Match against Fairhall so there will not be anyone out at the Wendy house this

weekend so make sure you pop into the café before you head out onto the course!

Office

Been a busy week for the office with Airport and Council issues to be working through.

We are updating our health and safety protocols, and one of the key updates required is the collection of current emergency contact information. While we have gathered some data, we are missing this crucial information for individuals who joined the club three years ago or earlier. It is essential to have up-to-date emergency contact details to ensure we can promptly reach your designated person in the event of an accident on the course, thereby ensuring your safety and providing peace of mind for them. Please email office@nelsongolf.co.nz with your membership number, your emergency contact person's name and phone number, and your relationship to this person. These details will only be used in an emergency.

Trundler Shed

We have had a few issues with the trundler shed over the last couple of weeks, so wanted to highlight our policy for the shed.

1. Clubs are stored at owners' risk (most insurance companies will cover your clubs, but it is up to each person to insure your own clubs and trundler)
2. We do have cameras in the Trundler Shed so we do keep an eye on them as best as we can.

3. Under no circumstances are you to give the code to anyone else who doesn't have clubs in there. If you are lending the clubs either talk to the office or the Pro shop and we can get the clubs out.

Volunteers Tournament

Volunteers Tournament is now scheduled for the March the 9th at 2pm please let Tony or Cath know in the office if you can make it so we can start to build a list and get sorted for the big day!

Charity Events

Nelson Golf Club will be hosting several charity events in the upcoming weeks. There is still availability to participate and support these great organisations.

Big Brothers Big Sisters Nelson - February 28th, 2025

Fifeshire Foundation - March 6th, 2025

Check out their websites for entries

NBS OPEN Nelson Golf Club

Nelson Golf Clubs premier Tier 1 event being held on the 15th and 16th of March 2025 see details below

Book in now with the pro shop! Or it should be open on line shortly

NBS NELSON OPEN

Nelson Golf Club Tier one event for 2025)

SATURDAY 15th and SUNDAY 16th MARCH 2024

“Pairs Competition.”

Saturday: 4BBB (in pairs) 11:30am shotgun start.

Prizes awarded for top teams on Saturday after first round.
(Must be in the clubhouse to receive)

Sunday: 2 ball Ambrose 10:00am shotgun start.

OPEN TO MEN’S AND LADIES AFFILIATED GOLFERS

ENTER NOW BY EITHER

- Online at DotGolf (bookings now open for Saturday. Sunday draw will be done on the Saturday evening and will be seeded)
- PHONE – 03 548 5028

Entry Fee only! **\$80** per person Includes 2’s, and platter for 4
after golf on the Saturday, great prize table!

GREAT PRIZES SO DON’T BE DISAPPOINTED BY MISSING OUT AND ENTER NOW!!!



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Pace of play REMINDER

Over the summer, pace of play has slowed down with visitors and members on the course. I've noticed

groups of five and slow players not letting faster groups pass. Please keep up with the group ahead or allow others to play through if they're waiting. Remember to be patient with others on the course.



Sloan Second Round Heads to Murchison

Nelson will face top-of-the-table Motueka this Sunday at Murchison. Having secured a first-round win, Nelson aims for a strong performance against Motueka to

remain competitive in the Sloan standings. The team will be without first-round standout Peter Hay, who has family commitments in Christchurch, as well as Luca Barney, who is participating in the Motueka Junior Open. We are pleased to welcome two new debutants to the Sloan team: Danny Lynn and Ben Cooper.

The team to take on Motueka is:

- Tony Watkins
- Paul Harding
- James Watson
- Eddie Paurinin
- Danny Lynn
- Ben Cooper

We wish the team the best of luck and success in their upcoming match. And as the last Sloan Convenor used to say lets bring back the Chocolates

Tasman Cup

The first two rounds of the Tasman Cup will be at Nelson Golf Club on Sunday March 2nd. Nelson has three teams in the competition:

- Nelson Blue: Corey Taylor, Bryce Currie, Bruce Fleet, Andrew Simpson
- Nelson Green: Elisha Barney, Dan Turner, Murray Roeske, Andy Clarkson
- Nelson Black: Connor Winter, Ben Crawford, Kieron Harwood, Tony Watkins

The first round starts at 7:30 AM and second round starts at 12:30 PM. Tee times will be posted on Dot Golf soon.



Marlborough Trip

We are confirmed for our trip to Fairhall this Saturday.

The team traveling to Marlborough includes: John Gifkins, Bryce Currie, Dennis Andrews, Eddie Paurini, Les Bak, Darren Quirk, Darren Quinnell, Chris Keyse, Euan Milne (to be picked up en route), Grant Core, Jamie Barnes, Tala Meleisea, Ron Fyfe, Erik Kessler, Joe Mason, Anita Kruger, Val Wilson, Tony Watkins, Ken Barney, Derek Drysdale, and Owen Perry. Please assemble at the club by 8:10 AM for a prompt departure at 8:30 AM.

Additionally, Brian Hogg, Paula and David McDirmid, Tony Bradley, and Ray Grubb will also be joining us to support the team. A huge thanks to Paula, Val, and Anita for volunteering to play 18 holes, enabling us to have a women's division.

There is still availability for any additional participants for those interested in joining us for the day on the bus. Please ensure you arrive at the club no later than 8:15 AM for an 8:30 AM departure.

The cost for those utilizing the bus service is \$35, while those opting to drive their own vehicles will incur a fee of \$10. This includes morning tea and entry into the day's competition, where we hope to help Nelson retain our trophies.

Marlborough has introduced a separate "two's competition" with an entry fee of \$5 for the day. Participation in this competition is optional.

Please note that the bar operates on a cashless basis; therefore, EFTPOS or credit card payments are required

Call the office or email Tony on manager@nelsongolf.co.nz if you are keen to join us.



CHANGE IN PROGRAMME

CHANGE OF DATE

Due to a clash of dates, we have been asked to swap two Saturdays in April.

This will affect the first round of club champ qualifying and the second round of Beat the Pros.

The 5th of April is scheduled to be round one of club champ qualifying, this will now be round two of Beat the Pros.

The 12th of April is scheduled as Beat the Pros and will now be the first round of club champ qualifying.

The 12th of April will also include the third round of the Shootout and the McQuade Mug.

Apologies to anyone affected by this change.

MENS UPDATE

Saturday 22nd February - Marlborough Visit

For those not making the trip to take on Marlborough there will be a pros comp.

Good luck to all members playing in Blenheim. Let's bring home the trophies.

Saturday 1st March - Encounter Shield & Miramar Vase #2

The second round of four for the Encounter Shield & Miramar Vase.

Book you own tee times on Dotgolf.

Saturday 8th March - Encounter Shield & Miramar Vase #3 + Shootout #2

The Encounter & Miramar continue with the third round. As with above, book you own tee times on Dotgolf.

It will also be the second round of the Shootout.

Saturday 15th March - NBS Tournament

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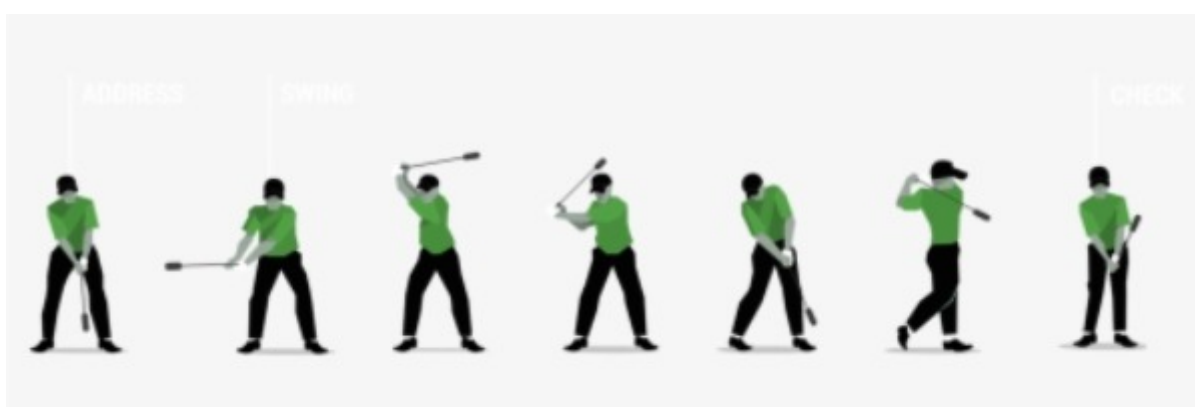


Top Gun 2025

The first round draw for Top Gun took place on Saturday.

The draw, which includes contact numbers is now up in the pro shop and clubhouse.

Please make contact and organise your match which needs to be played by April the 5th.



Mixed Vets

Our second Open tournament for 2025 will be held on **Monday 10th March** and will be sponsored by **Sprig & Fern Milton St** who have just joined our sponsor group. The tournament format is individual single stableford with separate competitions for Men and Women. The usual NTP and straight drive novelties will be included and twos will be optional.

In conjunction we will also run another edition of the Nelson Nines, a mixed individual 9-hole stableford, which is sponsored each month by **NZ Sothebys International Realty**.

All club members 50+ yo are most welcome.

This tournament will be the second round of our 2025 Most Consistent Player competition which will count the five best scores from eight designated rounds throughout the year. Prizes will be awarded in four divisions.

More details on the tournament flier below.

John Dow (Mixed Vets Convenor)

**NELSON MIXED VETS
OPEN GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Monday 10th March 2025

Nelson Golf Club

Sponsored by:

Sprig & Fern, Milton St

18 HOLE COMPETITION

Single Stableford – Drawn Fours

Separate Competitions - Men and Women

Green Fees: \$12.00 plus \$2.00 for 2s (optional)

Report prior to 10.00 am for 10.30 am Shotgun Start

Also

**“NELSON NINES” MIXED 9 HOLE STABLEFORD
COMPETITION**



Green Fees: \$10.00 plus \$1.00 for 2s (optional)

Report at 11.45am for 12.00noon start

Monday 10th March 2025

Enter at the Pro shop on the day.

CAFÉ NEWS



4pm to 6pm Friday's

Happy Hour now includes Asahi beer between 4pm and 6pm on a Friday, a pint will only be \$8.00.

We are back into the weekly handle draw which is currently sitting at \$280, Bob Schmuke was drawn and was not in the club rooms so it jackpots to \$300 this Friday, you must there to win!



Upcoming events to keep an eye on

Sunday 2nd March we have Tasman Cup here at Nelson Golf Club so anyone else that is playing this day can you please be courteous of these guys and they are playing a district event. They are playing 36 holes starting at 7.30.

Normally when there is a district event at other courses there is no play for anyone else so it's nice that we can fit everyone in but just turn up and be patient.

NBS Nelson Open March 15th is open for booking so get into the tee sheet quickly to get a good tee.

Golden Bay Open is also getting closer coming up on the last weekend of March (29th/ 30th) they have 70 entries currently but are looking for 100 entries minimum so if you are wanting a golf weekend away this is a great opportunity to tie in some competition as well.

There are entry forms for this event in the Pro shop.

Happy golfing

Blair Riordan

Art Corner

FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY!

Our favorite Artist SHIRLEY CRAMPTON is back!

With new paintings and acrylic pourings.



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